## IOWA BROWNIES

½ cup margarine 1 cup sugar

1 can (16 ounces) Hershey chocolate

4 eggs

1 cup flour

Cream margarine and sugar. Pour in syrup. Add eggs one at a time. Beat flour in slowly. Turn into 10 by 15-inch pan and bake at 350 degrees for 25 minutes.

## Iowa Brownie Frosting

1 stick margarine ½ cup sugar One-third cup evaporated milk

Combine in saucepan. Bring to a boil and boil 1 minute. Stir in one-half cup Baker's Chocolate Chips and mix well. Spread immediately Brownies. on cooled

#### CHOCOLATE DROPS.

1/2 cup Criscoe

1 "Sugar

1 teaspoon salt

2 eggs

2 cups flour

1/2 teaspoon Sod

1/2 cup milk

3 squares melted Chocolate

1 cup broken Walnuts

1 "Raisins

Cream Criscoe, sugar, salt and egg add chocolate; mix nuts and raisin with dry ingredients, add alternately with milk. Drop by teaspoonful-bake 10 -15 minutes.

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### Holiday Fruit Cookies

1 cup soft shortening ) mix
2 " brown sugar ) together
2 eggs ) thoroughly

Stir in 1/2 cup sour milk

Sift together and stir in 3 1/2 cups sifted Flour 1 teaspoon soda 1 teaspoon salt

Mix into the dough
1 1/2 cups broken Pecans
2 cups candied cherries -cut in half
2 " cut up dates

Place a pecan half on each cooky.

Chill at least 1 hr. Drop rounded teaspoonfuls about 2 "apart on lightly greased baking sheet. Bake until set. just until when touched lightly with finger, almost no imprimt remains.

Temperature 100? (mod.hot oven Time: 8 to 10 minutes

# COCOANUT COOKIES very expensive.

1 can Borden's sweetened condensed milk 33¢ 2 pkgs. Dates- cut up 4 " Cocoanut @ 4 Oz. 16 Oz. 6 or 8 oz. Fruit Mixture.

Pour the condensed milk over the cocoanut, add dates and fruit. Drop from tip of spoon or make a little ball (the little ball is better) on to a greased cooky tin. Bake about ten minutes top shelf of oven at 325 - 350. Remove at once.

Sometimes I have to shape them a little aftertaking www. off of the cooky tin.

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Date Bars Meta Barlass

1 cup shortening

1 " brown sugar

2 " Flour

2 1/2 cups Oatmeal

1/2 teaspoon salt cream the above then add

1 teaspoon Baking Soda in

3 Tablespoon Boiling Water.

Filling: 1 cup Dates cut up

1 " Sugar

1 " Water

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Cook until fairly thick, then add L cup nuts.

Press the first mixture on to a large cooky sheet, there will be enough left, to spread over the top. Spread the date filling then put the crumbly mixture over Sometimes it is agood idea to max mix a little fresh oatmeal with the crumbly mixture.

Bake not more than 20 minutes.

Sprinkle Powdered sugar .

Cut the cookies before they get cold.

#### MOLASSES COOKIES.

L PKG. brown sugar 1 bottle Brer Rabbit Molasses) gold)

1 lb. Criscoe 2 teasp Baking Soda Cook about 5 minutes, stirring constantly. Cool.

4 eggs
2 teaspoon salt
6 teaspoon cinnamon
1 " cloves
1 1/2 " baking soda
8 - 10 cups Flour

Add the first mixture to the beaten eggs, then add the dry ingredients, refrigerate for a while before you roll it.
Roll it thick, cut with cooky watte cutter, drench with granulated sugar and bake in oven- 360 from 15 to 20 minutes.

#### MOLASSES CRINKLES

Thick, chewy, with crackled, sugary tops.

When served at Mrs. Fred Fredell's in St. Paul, Minnesota, they were so delicious I begged the recipe. Thanks to her, thousands of homes have enjoyed these spicy cookies.

Mix thoroughly . . .

34 cup soft shortening
1 cup brown sugar (packed)
1 egg
14 cup molasses

Sift together and stir in . . .

21/4 cups sifted GOLD MEDAL Flour

2 tsp. soda
1/4 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. cloves
1 tsp. cinnamon

1 tsp. ginger

Chill dough. Roll into balls the size of large walnuts. Dip tops in sugar. Place, sugared-side-up, 3" apart on greased baking sheet. Sprinkle each cooky with 2 or 3 drops of water to produce a crackled surface. Bake just until set but not hard. TEMPERATURE: 375° (quick mod. oven).

TIME: Bake 10 to 12 min.

AMOUNT: About 4 doz. 21/2" cookies.

#### MOLASSES COOKIES Mrs. Venable

l cup sugar l " Criscoe 2 eggs beaten

1/2 cup Molasses )put 1 teaspoon Soda ) tpgether

1 teaspoon Cinnamon
1/4 " Cloves
1/4 " salt
3 1/2 cups Flour (sometimes a
little more

make four or five long rolls, put them on 2 or 3 cooky sheets; pat them down until they are 1/2 inch or a little thick.

Make the rolls 1 1/2 " wide, dampen your fingers with water, pat the long strips and sprinkle with sugar, Bake 20 minutes-WATCH 350 degrees.

Cool on brown paper, cut diagonally.



## Mrs. Haddon's Molasses Cookies

l cup sugar
l egg
3/4 cup Criscoe
4 tablespoon (1/4 cup) molasses
2 cups flour
2 teaspoon Baking Soda
Corp 1/2 " Cinnamon
1/2 " Cloves
1/2 " Ginger
1/4 " Salt

Cream sugar, criscoe, add egg beat in molasses, beat. Sift dry ingredients, add to the above creamed mixture. Form into small balls, dip one end in sugar, bake at upper shelf in oven -- 350. burn easily.

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I always double this recipe %

## REFRIGERATED COOKIES

Shape	dough	into	roll.	2	inches	in	diameter.	Wrap	in	waxed	paper	or
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aluminum foil; chill at least 2 hours.

Cut...... into 1/8-inch slices and place on greased baking sheets. If desired,

top each cookie with a small Funsten's Pecan Half.

Bake ...... in moderately hot oven (400°) 8 to 10 minutes.

## Slice o' Spice

Bride Third Prize Winner in Pillsbury's 9th Grand National Recipe and Baking Contest by Mrs. Tom McAllister, Sacramento, California Adapted by Ann Pillsbury

BAKE at 350° for 9 to 12 minutes.

MAKES about 9 dozen cookies.

Sift together.. 3 cups sifted Pillsbury's Best All Purpose Flour\*

1 teaspoon soda

1 teaspoon French's Cream of Tartar

1/2 teaspoon salt

Cream..... 1 cup butter. Gradually add

2 cups firmly packed brown sugar, creaming well.

Blend in ..... 2 unbeaten eggs and

1 teaspoon French's Vanilla. Stir in the dry ingredients.

Add...... 1 cup quick-cooking rolled oats; mix thoroughly. If desired, chill

dough 1 hour for easier handling.

Divide . . . . dough in three parts; place on waxed paper or aluminum foil and

shape into rolls 12 inches long. Wrap and chill 5 to 6 hours or over-

night until firm enough to slice.

Cut..... into 1/4-inch slices. Dip each slice into a mixture of

1/2 cup sugar and

4 teaspoons French's Cinnamon to coat both sides. Place on greated baking sheets.

Bake..... in moderate oven (350°) 9 to 12 minutes until golden brown.

<sup>\*</sup>If you use Pillsbury's Best Self-Rising Flour, omit soda, cream of tartar and salt.



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## **Pinwheel Cookies**

Developed by Ann Pillsbury

BAKE at 400° for 8 to 10 minut a.

MAKES 5 dozen.

Sift together.. 2 cups sifted Pillsbury's Best All Purpose Flour\*

½ teaspoon soda ½ teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon French's Cinnamon

1/4 teaspoon French's Cloves
Cream...... 1/2 cup butter. Gradually add

1 cup firmly packed brown sugar, creaming well.

Add..... 1 unbeaten egg and

1 teaspoon French's Vanilla. Beat well.

Blend in ..... the dry ingredients.

Roll out..... half of dough on floured surface to a 10x8-inch rectangle. Spread

with half of Filling.

Roll..... as for jelly roll starting with 10-inch side. Wrap in waxed paper or

aluminum foil. Repeat with remaining dough. Chill at least 2 hours.

Cut..... into slices about 1/4 inch thick and place on lightly greased baking

sheets.

Bake..... in moderately hot oven (400°) 8 to 10 minutes.

Date Filling: Combine 1½ cups (8-oz. pkg.) dates, cut in pieces, ½ cup sugar and ½ cup water in saucepan. Cook over low heat until thick, stirring constantly. Cool thoroughly. Add ½ cup Funsten's Nuts, chopped.

Fig Filling: Combine 1¼ cups (8-oz. pkg.) figs, ground or cut in small pieces, ½ cup sugar and 1 cup water in saucepan. Cook over low heat until thick, stirring constantly. Cool thoroughly. Add ½ cup Funsten's Nuts, chopped.

Chocolate Filling: Melt 1 cup (6-oz. pkg.) semi-sweet chocolate pieces in top of double boiler over boiling water. Remove from heat. Stir in 1 cup flaked or shredded coconut, chopped.

<sup>\*</sup>If you use Pillsbury's Best Self-Rising Flour, increase flour to 21/4 cups; omit soda and salt.

#### SKILLET COOKIES\* Lil Page

Almost the same as "Unbaked Adventure Cookies

1 cup dates cut up 1 cup sugar 2 eggs beaten, a little butter Cook until thick and it leaves the side of the pan.

1 teaspoon Vanilla
1 cup Nutmeats
2 cups Rice Krispies
Roll in small balls and roll in
flakes cocoanut or Powdered Sugar.

#### SPRITZ COOKIES

l cup butter
3/4 " sugar
3 egg yolks
1/2 teasp. B. Powder
1/8 " salt
1 " Vanilla
2 1/2 cups bread flour

Cream butter and sugar, add eggs unbeaten. Sift flour, measure and add B.Powder, salt, sift three times, add to first mixture.

Force through cooky press and bake in hot oven 10 to 12 minutes.

### Helen McLay's Sugar Cookies

1 cup sugar
1/2 cup butter
2½ to 3 cups Flour
1/2 cup sour cream (rich)
2 eggs
3/4 teaspoon Baking Soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
nutmeg or vanilla

Cream butter & sugar, add eggs and beat sift salt with flour, add soda to cream add to sugar mixture. Add Flour to make a medium stiff dough. Cool in refrigerator. Roll to 1/4 thickness Bake 375.

Helen used whipping gream.

I think it helps if you add soda to cream and let it set a while

#### SWEDISH HEIRLOOM COOKIES.

1 cup butter
1 cup XXXXX sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 Tablespoon Vanilla

Cream the above 4 - well
Add 1 1/2 cups ground nuts.
You can buy ground nuts at Piggly
Wiggly stores VERY CHEAP.

Blend in 2 cups Flour
1 Tablespoon Water
Shape into crescents, using 1
teaspoon dough; place on ungreased c
cooky sheet (325) 12 minutes or 2
more. The cookies do not brown.
Cool a little before rolling in
XXXXX sugar.
How to make the crescents:
I take a little dough, roll it in
my hands into a ball, then lengthwise, curve it over my third finger
pinch a little here, a little off
the other end- presto- you have a
crescent.
A few don'ts:

After you have made the dough, Do NOT refrigerate.

Jake off cooky sheet

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and wait a few

minutes before ruching

#### UNBAKED ADVENTURE COOKIES

Mae Arnold's recipe.

1 cup butter
1 1/2 cup white sugar
2 eggs
2 Tablespoon Milk
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 cups dates cut up
4 cups Rice Krispies
1 cup chopped nuts
1 teaspoon Vanilla
Cocoanut

Melt butter and sugar, cook over low heat until it comes to a boil stirring all the time. Remove from stove. Add milk and salt to beaten eggs, stir into hot mixture and boil the entire mixture for 2 minutes. Remove from heat and add remaining ingredients except cocoanut. Let cool, form into balls and roll in cocoanut, storein covered tin in refrigerator. Delicious.

## VERY\* VERY\* BEST OATMEAL COOKIES.

1 cup shortening 1 " brown sugar 2 beaten eggs 1/4 cup orange juice 2 tablesp " peel-grated 1 teaspoon Vanilla 2 cups bread flour 2 teaspoon Cinnamon salt soda 2 cups quick cooking Oatmeal 1/2 " dates (cut) 1/2 " nutmeats. Cream shortening and sugar; add eggs; orange juice, orange peel and Vanilla; stir in sifted flour sifted with salt, soda, and cinnamon; add oatmeal. I make a little ball, flatten- use fork dipped in hot water. Bake in oven 350- 360 from 12 to 15 minutes. About 4 dozen. 

#### Apple Drop Cookies

1/2 cup Margarene 1 1/3 cup brown sugar 1/2 teaspoon salt teaspoon Cinnamon cloves 1/2 Nutmeg 1 egg 2 cup sifted Flour 1 teaspoon Soda 1 cup Nutmeats 1 cup chopped Apples Raisins 1/4 cup Apple Juice white Glaze frosting optional drop batter br tablespoon on cooky sheet. Bake 11 to 14 minutes.

#### Cocktail Cake

2 cups Sugar )
2 "Flour ) SIFT
2 teaspoon B. Soda ) TOGETHER
1 " salt

add 2 well beaten Eggs 4 cups well drained cocktail

add the 2 mixtures together, stir them together.

9 x 13 pan

sprinkle brown sugar & chopped nuts on top.

serve with whipped cream

#### SUGAR COOKIES

2 cups sifted flour 1½ teaspoons baking powder

powder

1 teaspoon mace or
vanilla extract

1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup butter
1 cup sugar (white,

brown or maple)

2 eggs 2 tablespoons milk

Mix and sift flour, baking powder, mace and salt. Cream butter, add sugar gradually and cream until fluffy; add well-beaten eggs. If extract is used instead of mace, mix it with milk. Add sifted dry ingredients alternately with milk to butter mixture, mixing just enough after each addition to combine ingredients. Chill thoroughly. Roll thin on floured board and cut with a floured 2½-inch round cutter or with assorted cutters. Decorate, if desired, with colored sugars. Bake on ungreased baking sheets in a preheated 400° F. oven about 9 minutes. Approximate yield: 6 dozen round cookies.

#### VARIATIONS

## CHOCOLATE SUGAR COOKIES

Follow the recipe for Sugar Cookies with the following change: To creamed butter and sugar add 2 ounces unsweetened chocolate, which has been melted and cooled.

/4	cups sifted flour	1½ cups butter
1/4	teaspoons baking	2 cups brown sugar,
	powder	sieved and packed
21/2	teaspoons cinnamon	(12 ounces)
1/4	teaspoons cloves	1 egg

Mix and sift flour, baking powder and spices. Cream butter, add sugar gradually and cream until fluffy; add egg and mix. Add sifted dry ingredients gradually and mix. Chill thoroughly. Roll about 1/8-inch thick and cut with assorted floured cutters. Bake on ungreased baking sheets in a preheated 350° F. oven about 12 minutes. Approximate yield: 6 dozen.

#### ROLLED SOUR CREAM COOKIES

22/3 cups sifted flour 1 teaspoon nutmeg
1/4 teaspoon baking soda 1 cup butter
1 teaspoon baking 1 cup sugar
powder 1 egg

1/2 cup dairy sour cream

Mix and sift flour, soda, baking powder and nutmeg. Cream butter, add sugar gradually and cream until fluffy; add egg and mix. Add sifted dry ingredients alternately with sour cream, mixing just enough after each addition to combine ingredients. Chill thoroughly. Roll thin and cut with a floured 1¾-inch fluted round cutter. Bake on ungreased baking sheets in a preheated 375° F. oven for about 9 minutes. Approximate yield: 13 dozen.